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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 PHUOC LUU,

11 Petitioner,

No. 2:13-cv-0942 EFB P

12 vs.

13 KATHLEEN L. DICKSON,

14 Respondent.

ORDER


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16 Petitioner is a state prisoner without counsel seeking a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to
17 28 U.S.C. § 2254. However, petitioner has commenced this action in the wrong district.

18 In a habeas action, venue is proper in either the district of confinement or the district of
19 conviction. 28 U.S.C. 2241(d). The petition reflects that petitioner is currently incarcerated at
20 California State Prison, Centinela, which is located in Imperial County. Dckt. No. at 7. The
21 instant petition challenges the results of a disciplinary decision that occurred while petitioner
22 was incarcerated at California State Prison, Centinela. Thus, the Eastern District is not a proper
23 venue for this action. Since this action should have been commenced in the United States
24 District Court for the Southern District of California, the court will transfer this action to that
25 district. *See* 28 U.S.C. §§ 84(d), 1404(a).

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1 Accordingly, it is ORDERED that this action is transferred to the United States District
2 Court for the Southern District of California.

3 DATED: May 17, 2013.

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5 EDMUND F. BRENNAN
6 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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